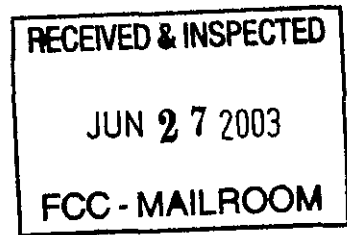


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This is to certify that Shidler Telephone Company will use its *Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS* only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of Shidler Telephone Company. This certification is provided for the study area listed below.

Signed,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lisa White Patton".

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